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DECISION ON PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL

This is a decision on the petition received by June 27, 2003 under Manual of Patent Examination Procedure §708.02, VIII requesting accelerated examination.

The petition under Manual of Patent Examination Procedure §708.02, VIII, must:

(1) be filed prior to receiving any examination by the examiner,

(2) be accompanied by the required fee-\$130,

(3) the claims should be directed to a single invention (if it is determined that the claims pertain to more than one invention, then applicant will have to make an election without traverse or forfeit accelerated examination status),

(4) state that a pre-examination search was made, and fully discuss the search method employed, such as classes and subclasses searched, publications, Chemical abstracts, patents, etc. A search made by a foreign patent office satisfies this requirement,

(5) be accompanied by a copy of each of the references most closely related to the subject matter encompassed by the claims if said references are not already of record,

(6) fully discuss the references, pointing out with the particularity required by 37 C.F.R. §1.111(b) and (c), how the claimed subject matter is patentable over the references.

The petition does not meet requirement (5) listed above. Specifically, Petitioner has only submitted a copy of the table of contents and one other page of the ANSI/TIA/EIA-95-B reference.

Accordingly, the petition is **<u>DENIED</u>**.

Any request for reconsideration must be filed within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this decision. No further petition fee is required.

The application is being forwarded to the group Central Files and will await action in its regular turn.

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